

# Join us to clean up the Missouri River



• **Clean-up time: Sat., April 17,  
9 a.m. to noon**

- **Clean-up headquarters:** Washington Riverfront Park Boat Ramp
- **What we're doing:** Boats will ferry volunteers to the river banks and islands to pick up trash that has washed up on shore. Landlubbers can help pick up trash along the riverfront, park, and nearby dumpsites.
- **What we provide:** T-shirts, work gloves, water, lunch, trash bags, tools, supplies and a boat ride!
- **What to bring:** Wear sturdy mud boots or tennis shoes (no flip-flops), work and weather-appropriate clothes, bug spray, a re-usable water container, sunglasses and sunscreen.

**PLEASE SIGN-UP ONLINE AT:**

[www.riverrelief.org/event/washington-river-festival-clean-up-2010/](http://www.riverrelief.org/event/washington-river-festival-clean-up-2010/)

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please support our local vendors!*



*please recycle your plastic, aluminum and glass  
in the appropriate container. Thanks!*



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*and the input, creativity and hard work of all  
the exhibitors and musicians listed inside.*

**THANK YOU**  
*from the bottom*  
**of our big, muddy hearts!**

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# WASHINGTON RIVER FESTIVAL & MISSOURI RIVER CLEAN-UP



**celebrate  
our  
river**

**SATURDAY, APRIL 17, 2010**

**Washington Riverfront Park**  
Front and Lafayette Streets

**MISSOURI RIVER CLEAN-UP**

**9:00 a.m. - noon**

**RIVER FESTIVAL**

**11:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.**

**EDUCATIONAL EXHIBITS! MUSIC!  
FUN KID'S ACTIVITIES! FOOD! OLD TIME DANCE!  
WORLD BIRD SANCTUARY PRESENTATION!  
TRASH-TO-ART & MORE!!!**

# ENTERTAINMENT SCHEDULE

*on the Stage in Rennick Riverfront Park*

## **World Bird Sanctuary -- 11 am -11:45 am**

Features birds of prey including falcons, hawks, owls and vultures. Sit back and enjoy an up-close and personal view as some of the birds soar right overhead!

## **Fretless -- Noon - 12:15 pm**

A talented and upbeat Washington High School ensemble directed by Amy Perryman. Acapella arrangements of popular songs with beautiful harmonies!

## **Missouri River "Git That Garbage Trash Contest" -- 12:15 until 12:30 pm**

## **T-Bone -- 12:30 pm until 1 pm**

Shake, rattle and roll your funny bone with T-Bone's party time! T-Bone, the original tie-dyed cowboy for kids of all ages!

## **The River Rats -- 1:15 pm until 2:15 pm**

Fresh roots music featuring fiddle, guitar, mandolin and bass and wonderful, rich and soulful vocals.

## **Augusta Bottoms Consort -- 2:30 pm until 3:30 pm**

This eclectic local band has been singing and playing songs inspired by the river and its surroundings for a long time! Tight harmonies, original songs and interesting arrangements.



*Augusta Bottoms Consort*

## **Trash to Art Sculpture Auction -- 3:30 until 4 pm.**

Sculptures created during the festival from river clean-up trash will be auctioned off by KDHX-FM's Jean Ponzi.

## **Old Time Dancing! -- 4 pm until we stop....**

Join us for an old-fashioned dance featuring square dances, line, circle dances and mixers. A caller will come and lead us, accompanied by the finest group of old-time musicians in the region....fiddles, guitars, banjos, basses and mandolins. Great for beginners! No partner necessary!

**PLUS....MUSIC AT THE TIPI WITH MISSOURI MUDPUPIES AND INDIAN FLUTES THROUGHOUT THE DAY.**

# WASHINGTON RIVER FESTIVAL & MISSOURI RIVER CLEAN-UP

*Spend a day with community, friends and family celebrating  
the gift of the Missouri River*

*in Washington, Missouri.*

*Take part in a variety of fun activities for all ages--  
plus food and music!*

## SATURDAY, APRIL 17TH, 2010

Washington Riverfront Park  
Front and Lafayette Streets

## EXHIBITORS

*11:00 a.m. to 4:00 P.M. in the Pavilion*

**The Greenway Network** --Our St. Charles neighbors along the Missouri River will demonstrate water quality and macroinvertebrate sampling and provide a sun print activity for children.

**Leftovers, etc.** -- Want to make your own Whirligig? Leftovers, etc., a Resource and Learning Center located in St. Charles, MO, will provide materials to make whirligigs from water bottles.

**St. Louis/Midwest Turtle & Tortoise Society** -- rescues, rehabilitates and releases sick and injured turtles. Visit and touch some of their rescued turtles.

**Washington Public Library** -- Ride the reading wave by the riverfront with nature books! Make a splash with a few fun crafts!

**Hillermann's Nursery & Florist** --Not just weeds in the field, they're our heritage. Talk Native with Patty, the native plant buyer from Hillermann Nursery. Bring the kids by to get their hands dirty and pot up their very own native plant to take home!

**Wyman Center** -- Enjoy some fun and games with Wyman! A real canoe with paddles and life vests will be there for playing and learning.

**Washington Historical Society** -- Explore our rich Missouri River history.

**The Open Space Council** -- Protect your drinking water! Learn about watersheds and what you can do to protect them. Ask about our special gift for pledging to do one thing a day to improve your watershed.

**U.S. Geological Survey** -- Come play Missouri River Jeopardy! Test your knowledge of the of the Big Muddy and learn about today's river scientists.

**Operation Clean Stream** -- OCS will be selling raffle tickets for a canoe! Celebrate 25 years of cleaning the Bourbeuse River!

**Missouri Master Naturalists** -- will provide fun and natural, hands-on activities! Their mission is to engage Missourians in the stewardship of our natural resources through science-based education and community service.

**Area Middle School Students** -- Face painting, river collage and more!

**Botanical Walk with Bill Davit**-- Enjoy an informative walk on The Rotary Riverfront trail with our local botanical expert.

**The Craft of Planning** -- Debra Jean will demonstrate the craft of planning, which is crocheting or knitting with recycled plastic strips. Reduce, reuse and recycle!

**Labadie Environmental Organization** --LEO will provide information on flood plain ecology and preservation, and home sustainability practices.

**Washington Urban Forestry Council** -- This organization plants green space throughout our community. Free Missouri saplings you can plant at home!

**Washington Community Garden** -- Plans are underway for a community garden to be located on the grounds of Peace Lutheran Church on Highway 47. Find out how you can join the ground floor of this community food resource.

**Turning Trash to Treasure** --Stream Trash to Art Program volunteer artists Joey Los, Patrick McCarty, Larry Pogue and Joseph Farmer will team up with welders from Cee Kay Welding to transform steel collected from the river cleanup into sculpture on the spot!. The work created will be auctioned to benefit Missouri River Relief at 3:30 pm.



**PLUS... FUN TODDLER AREA!**